

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4186

INFO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY RABAT

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR, SU

SUBJECT: SUDAN VIEWS ON ZAIRE

1. GOVERNMENT NEWS AGENCY REPORTS FONMIN KHALID TOLD PRESS IN LONDON APRIL 18 THAT SUDAN GOVT "WOULD NOT HESITATE" SUPPORT LEGITIMATE GOVERNMENT IN ZAIRE "POLITICALLY AND DIPLOMATICALLY". KHALID DENIED RECENT REPORT IN MANCHESTER GUARDIAN TO EFFECT EGYPTIANS HAD AIR-LIFTED 1,500 SUDANESE TROOPS FROM EGYPT TO ZAIRE.

2. FONOFF U/SEC OSMAN CONFIRMED TO AMBASSADOR APRIL 20 THAT KHALID'S REMARKS REPRESENT LATEST SUDAN GOVT VIEWS ON ZAIRE ISSUE. SOURCE GUARDIAN ARTICLE OBVIOUSLY POORLY BRIEFED ON SUDAN SINCE ITEM HAD SUDANESE C-130'S LANDING IN OMDURMAN FOR REFUELING (THERE NO AIRFIELD AND PRECIOUS LITTLE GAS IN OMDURMAN).

3. COMMENT: STORY EGYPTIAN TROOP MOVEMENT ZAIRE SEEMS OBVIOUSLY ANOTHER EXAMPLE DISINFORMATION  
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BY SUDAN'S ENEMIES. THERE WAS 1,500-MAN SUDAN UNIT IN CANAL ZONE UNTIL LAST SUMMER BUT UNIT WAS RECALLED AT TIME ATTEMPTED COUP AND NEVER RETURNED.  
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